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METHOD OF ENHANCING NEEDLELESS TRANSDERMAL

POWDERED DRUG DELIVERY

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action in the above-identified application, that Action having been mailed 20 May 2002. This response is submitted with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and the fee therefor. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.